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## ANDOVER PINELAND SKI CLUB PREPARES FOR WINTER CARNIVAL, FEB. 26-27

The Pineland Ski Club of Andover is busy this week making final plans for their Winter Carnival.

The following program is planned:  
Saturday, Feb. 26: 10 a. m. Jumping (age groups, 9 and under, 10-13, 14-18, 19 and over) Competition for the longest standing jump, to establish a leg on the Andover-Wood Products Trophy.

12:30: Cross Country Races (age groups 5 and under, 6 and 7, 8 and 9, 10 and 11, 12 and 13, 14 and 15, 16-25, 26 and over). Obstacle Course Cross Country Relay Race (three members to a team—one member must be under 11 years old).

2:30: Snow Shoe Races (following Cross Country) age groups, 13 and under, 14-18, 19 and up). Toboggan Pull (age group, 9 and under, 10-13, 14-18, 19 and up) (one girl and one boy team).  
8:00 p. m. The Coronation Ball at the Andover Town Hall. The theme this year is "Winter Wonderland" with music by "The Blazers."

The coronation will begin with 1976 Pineland Ski Queen Leslie Mills, leading the procession—followed by Queen Candidates Liz Morton and Rhonda Palmer. They will be accompanied by Little Maidens, Sandra Morton, Patti Ann Jaros, Nancy Miller, Debbie Bodwell, Marsha Hutchins, Heidi Belanger, Crissy Gammon, and Master Mike Miller.

This year a beautiful Queen's Robe has been donated to the Pineland Ski Club by the Joe Myshrahl family.

The procession will make its way to the court through an impressive archway made up of the Pineland Ski Club Bill Koch/Torger Tokle Ski Team members.

The ski club president, Leon Dunn, will be on hand to make the awards for the day's events.

Following the Grand March will be an evening of dancing and enjoyment.

Sunday, Feb. 27: 10 a. m. Torger Tokle Relay Race (District I—Andover, Bethel, Rumford, Farmington and Andover).  
12 a. m. Family Ski Outing and Cook Out. (Bring your own lunch, fire available for hot dogs and hamburgers.) Everyone welcome.

The committees for the Carnival are as follows: chairman, Mrs. Robert Crane Associates.

## DANCE

SAT., FEB. 26 8-12:30  
Gordon Howe's Orchestra

American Legion Hall  
Vernon St., Bethel  
CB set to be drawn

## GAME PARTY

Legion Hall—Locke Mills  
Every Friday—7:00 p. m.  
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## HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO SEE FILM "THE ART OF THE CONSERVATOR"

A film "The Art of the Conservator" will be shown at the monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society on Thursday, March 3, 1977, at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Moses Mason House. The film will illustrate how Russell J. Quandt, Conservator for the Corcoran Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C., and for Colonial Williamsburg, treats five early-eighteenth century Hudson Valley paintings. The painstaking research, cleaning, lining, filling, in-painting, and re-mounting procedures are shown in full detail, with an accompanying explanatory narration. The final scenes show the beautifully restored paintings—tributes to the patient work of the conservator—on exhibit at the Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Folk Art Collection in Williamsburg. Refreshments will follow the meeting.

## SNOW TWISTERS PARADE TO BE HELD MARCH 5

The Bethel Snow Twisters parade will be Saturday, March 5. Please be at the Vernon Street meadow by 3:45 p. m. as the parade will start at 4:00. Following the parade anyone interested will travel to the East Bethel Grange Hall where a baked bean and casserole supper will be served. Anyone going to the supper should call 824-2228 by Friday noon, March 4, to make reservations.

## S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS TO MEET MONDAY, FEB. 28

A meeting of the S. A. D. #44 board of directors will be held at the Telstar Regional High School Library at 7:30 next Monday evening, Feb. 28. The special board meeting of Feb. 17 was recessed until 7:30 p. m., Feb. 28. The recessed session, concerning a grievance filed by the Telstar Educators Association, will be completed, followed by the regular Feb. 28 meeting.

The published agenda for the Feb. 28 meeting includes discussion and/or requested action on the following topics: finance committee recommendations for FY78; appointment of teaching principals at Andover and Locke Mills for the 1977-78 school year; curriculum study reports; recommendations for textbook changes; request for use of Telstar field for baseball program by Jackson-Silver Post #66, American Legion.

## WATER DISTRICT TRUSTEES TO MEET TUESDAY, MARCH 1

The Bethel Water District Trustees regular monthly meeting will be held at the Town Office on Tuesday March 1, at 7 p. m.

## REMINDER:

You can help your library. Attend the Fund Raising Committee's Food Sale, Friday, Feb. 25, 11:30-4:30 at the Bethel Savings Bank.

ANDOVER  
PUBLIC PANCAKE &  
SAUSAGE SUPPER  
Sat., Feb. 26 6 p. m.  
Christian Education Building  
\$1.50 Adult Children under 10, \$1  
First Congregational Church

## BGW Credit Union

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Saturday, Mar. 5

BECAUSE OF TOWN MEETING

## NEW HEADMASTER APPOINTED FOR GOULD ACADEMY

Donald W. Fudge of Woodmere, N. Y., has been appointed Headmaster of Gould Academy succeeding Richard J. Dolven, according to the 138-year-old institution's Trustee Chairman, William M. Throop, Jr., a partner in the New York firm of Davidson, Dawson and Clark, attorneys.

Presently the associate headmaster of Woodmere Academy, Long Island, N. Y., Fudge will assume his duties at Gould on July 1, 1977.

Fudge was selected from a list of top candidates representing a broad range of educational experience and enterprise. Some 100 candidates responded to private inquiries and national advertising initiated by Gould's Trustee Search Committee, chaired by Dr. James E. Dickinson, president of Westbrook College. Also serving on the Committee were Trustees Mrs. Ruth Ault of Wayne; Dexter Stowell, Bethel; Mr. Throop; and William Cousins, Bethel, representing the faculty and staff.

As Headmaster of Gould, Fudge will direct the activities of one of Maine's foremost preparatory schools, which currently has a coeducational enrollment of about 200 students. The student body represents diverse geographical and socio-economic backgrounds. Approximately 30 students come from Europe, the Orient, and South America. Over 95% of the Academy's graduates immediately matriculate at four-year colleges and universities.

Over the past eight years, Fudge's career has included teaching, administrative and athletic coaching assignments in private secondary and collegiate education. His responsibilities at Woodmere included the direction of the schools' admissions, counseling, and Upper School activities.

A 1963 graduate of Princeton University, he also attended Syracuse University where he earned an M. A. degree in 1972.

After a stint as an assistant coach in football and lacrosse at Princeton in the late sixties, Fudge joined the instructional staff of Tabor Academy, Marion, Mass., a boy's preparatory school.

In 1970 he became head of the Middle School at Menius-Peoble Hill School, and was later appointed dean of students for the Upper School.

Following a three-year coaching and teaching assignment at Colgate University, from 1972-75, he became assistant headmaster at Woodmere Academy.

Fudge, 35, is married to the former Doria Coley. The Fudges have two children, Coley Scott, 8, and Tracey Lynn, 6.

## JUG LOST!

## Public Supper

SAT., MARCH 5 5 P. M.

American Legion Hall  
Vernon St., Bethel

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## TELSTAR IS CLASS "A" STATE SKI CHAMPS

In only its fourth year in class "A" skiing, the Telstar boys' ski team became state champions by defeating seven other schools in four event competition Friday and Saturday, Feb. 18 and 19, in Bethel.

Competition began Friday morning with the slalom. Fryeburg won the two-run slalom with a team score of 98.72 followed by Gould Academy, 98.88; Edward Little, 92.25; Telstar, 95.02; Livermore Falls, 94.72; Mt. Blue, 83.89; Kents Hill, 81.55, and Rumford, 65.06. Brian Lunt of Fryeburg was the individual winner with a two-run total time of 56.5 sec. He was followed by Charlie Craig of Kents Hill with 57.8 and Dave Brochu of Fryeburg with 58.3.

Friday afternoon the giant slalom event took place with Fryeburg again emerging as the winner with 99.09 points. The team order of finish was identical to that of the slalom. P. D. Ash of Gould was the winner with a 50.0 sec., followed by Kevin Violet of Mt. Blue in 50.9 sec. and Mike Libby of Kents Hill in 51.7.

At the end of the first day of competition the team scores were Fryeburg, 196.80; Gould, 195.71; Edward Little, 193.49; Telstar, 191.57; Livermore, 191.10; Mt. Blue, 180.08; Kents Hill, 177.55; and Rumford, 148.42.

Saturday's Nordic events began with the jumping where Telstar moved out into the lead by placing all six of its jumpers in the top 20. Dave Webster and Mike Brooks, both of Telstar, took first and second, respectively, and Brad Malo of Edward Little was third. Webster's jumps of 99, 100, and 104 feet were enough to give him 207.7 points and first place. Brooks followed with 198.6 and Malo had 194.1.

In the afternoon cross country Livermore Falls made their usual strong showing by placing four runners in the top ten. Timmy Tenney and Rick Groleau, both of Livermore, took first and second, with Mike Dunn of Telstar third. Livermore led all other teams with 98.66 points followed by Mt. Blue, 94.48.

The four-event team totals were Telstar, 382.23; Livermore, 380.96; continued on Page Eight

## TELSTAR WINS—Mike Dunn of Andover, one of Telstar's leading skiers holds the Maine scholastic Class "A" ski championship plaque following its presentation to Telstar's ski coach Robert Remington last Saturday afternoon. Events of the State meet were held at Mount Abram Ski Slopes, the Gould Academy jump at Swan's Corner and on Telstar's cross country course.

## COMING SOON — WINTER CARNIVAL SNOW SCULPTURE COMPETITION

Hey kids, young and old, Saturday, March 5, is the date set for the Bethel Winter Carnival Snow Sculpture Competition. Judging will take place in the afternoon of that day so be sure to have your sculpture ready for show!

How to enter: To register visit Early Real Estate or the U. S. Forest Service in Bethel and pick up an official entry form, fill it out and return it by Thursday, March 3 to obtain a number to identify your sculpture for the judges.

Enter in one of the following divisions: (1) Youth (age 6-12); (2) Teen (13-18); (3) Adult (19 and up). Remember you must enter as a group of two or more. Adult sponsors are required for youth groups. Sculptures will be accepted at any location in Bethel and vicinity.

There will be one winning sculpture from each division. Judging will be based on theme, neatness, artistry, originality and creativity. All children 6 to 12 will receive a prize for building a sculpture. Winner's names will be posted at Clukey's Pharmacy and the Bethel IGA Food Store Saturday evening.

Remember, you have to enter to win...join the fun...show off YOUR talents in the Bethel Winter Carnival Snow Sculpturing!

## UNION LENTEN SERVICE

AT METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, FEB. 27

A Union Lenten Service will be held on Sunday evening, Feb. 27, at 7:00 o'clock at the Bethel United Methodist Church. Everyone is welcome to attend. Any questions concerning the service may be directed to Mrs. George Noll.

## OLD FASHIONED Church Supper

Congregational Church  
Bethel

Sat., Feb. 26

5:30-7:00 p. m.

AT DOOR Adults ADVANCE \$2.50  
\$1.50 Children (under 12) \$1.25

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## Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

Mrs. Lee Swan, local, and Miss Doris Field, Moody, are expected home from Bermuda Thursday, where they have been vacationing.

Tim Powers is on vacation this week from CMVIT, Auburn.

Ray Strout, Bethel, Vt., and Randy Swan, Barre, Vt., visited Lee Swan last week.

Recent callers on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flanders were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flanders, Aldamas, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons, Songo.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tetley have returned from a weeks vacation in Florida.

Ben Johnson underwent open heart surgery at Maine Medical Center, Portland, Friday.

Miss Paula Wight is receiving basic army training at Fort McJannet in Alabama.

The Selectmen have received notice that to comply with new rules and regulations of the Federal Flood Insurance program some changes must be made in the original act which was passed by the Town March 3, 1975, accepting the program. Since this information was received too late to be included in the Town Meeting warrant, a new warrant is being issued, for a meeting to be held directly at the close of the Annual Town Meeting.

The Harrison Area Bookmobile will stop at Bear River Cabins, 3:00-3:30, on Monday, Feb. 28.

The newly formed Snowmobile Club met Thursday evening at 7 p. m. at the Raymond Foster School. It was voted to incorporate, and to name the club Windy Valley Snowmobile Club, Inc. There were 11 members and two guests present. Three Directors were elected; Stephen Powers and Leslie Robertson for three years and Sylvia Wight for two years. It was decided not to appoint any more committees at this time. It was voted to hold an annual meeting in mid-April to elect officers for the fiscal year, which will run from May 1 to April 30. Officers elected at the first meeting to serve until April 30, 1978. Voted to publish a news sheet, at \$7.00 per year per family, or \$5.00 for an individual over 18. Dues \$5.00 per year extra. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Sylvia Wight. The next meeting will be March 3, at 7 p. m. at the Raymond Foster School.

Willard A. Wight attended a New England and Maritime Compact Forestry Training Session in Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Wight retired in 1972, after serving 26 years with the Maine Forestry Service.

Bear River Grange #285 will convene at the Community Room, under the Bethel Savings Bank building, on Saturday, Feb. 26, at 7:30 p. m.

Brother Hugh Roak, Deputy of the Maine State Grange, will be present for instruction. All Grange members are urged to attend as everyone can benefit from instruction by the Deputy.

After the meeting, there will be a social.

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## North Woodstock

— Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres. —

Robert Davis was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis on Thursday. In the afternoon Robert and Lettie visited Ernest and Dot Smith in West Paris.

Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary called on Mrs. Winola Billings, Milton, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway had a dinner guest Thursday, Mrs. Leona Curtis of East Bethel. In the afternoon, they all went to Oxford shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Billings and family, West Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and Rebecca Ricker, Sunday.

There is a short literary program consisting of discussion of some of the Grange Laws and Edicts, plus a belated Valentine's Party. Non-members, who are interested in the Grange are welcome to the Literary Program and lunch that follows.

The Mails of Long Ago

an original by Russell F. Yates

Yes, my friend, it was many years ago

When I was a young lad you see,

And we lived down in Woodstock Valley,

Near the banks of Black Brook,

Quite carefree.

We always looked forward to mail time.

Across from South Woodstock he came.

By the Perham Place, o'er the Ricker Road,

Arthur Andrews, a friend, was his name.

In those days he traveled by horse power,

The genuine four legged kind,

Polly, Nobby and Slick were their nicknames.

They were the best that our mailman could find.

He used to change horses at our place.

The mail route was long and at best,

His horse would be tired, when he got there,

In need of some food and some rest.

In winter, he traveled by horse and sleigh,

Wrapped in furs to help stand the weather.

There was lots of wind and drifted snow,

But the challenge, they both faced together.

In summer, a wagon was used instead,

The elements weren't quite as rough,

But the roads were bad with mud and rocks.

And a good thunderstorm, made it tough.

In those days the mails were quite different.

Most letters would come from our kin,

With a three cent stamp in the corner at right.

Penny postcards were sometimes mixed in.

Sometimes, there were bills that came in the mail,

Or a catalog might come from Sears.

A New England Homestead or other such paper,

To help us to farm through the years.

But pamphlets, ads, and sales sheets and such

And letters that beg your dollars,

Were seldom seen in those good old days.

But today they are regular callers.

Yes, progress has changed the way of our mail.

It now comes by modern day car.

Our carriers, of course, make many more stops.

And they travel both near and so far.

The mail box still stands by the side of the road,

But larger it should be some days.

The carrier now stops just about every trip.

That his route brings him over this way.

Yes, friend, I think some of the progress is good.

There's improvements galore, I've no doubt.

But some of the junk mail that clutters our box,

We'd all be just as happy without.

## West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

Monday morning temperature around 20° and snow blowing. Snow started about mid afternoon Sunday with accumulation of seven inches or more by Monday morning. The Bethel schools are all closed for a week's vacation, will re-open on Tuesday, March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morse, Norway, called on Mrs. Carla Bennett, Sunday.

Mrs. Luella Andrews of West Paris spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Wheeler, and family.

Mrs. Esther Strughold returned to her home in Redwood, Calif. after an extended visit with relatives in West Bethel. Her brother, Albert Wheeler of Concord, N. H., came and took her to Boston on Wednesday of last week to take a plane for California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grant and children of Dixfield were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert spent the week end at their camp on Lake Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell and Melanie of Shirley, Mass., came Saturday to join her parents at the camp. They all returned to West Bethel Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Stowell and Melanie returned to Massachusetts, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd were in Woodsville, N. H., Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd.

The couples from West Bethel and Bethel who are taking a trip this week to Bermuda were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chabourne at their home in Bethel.

Melissa and Bethany Smith of Fryeburg visited their grandmother, Mrs. Libbie Kneeland, on the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cordwell's little son, Stanley Christopher, was taken to Rumford Community Hospital Friday with an attack of asthma. He was discharged Monday.

Mrs. Edward Gordon entered Rumford Community Hospital on Monday. She expected to have surgery on Tuesday, Feb. 22, for hernia.

Mrs. Edward Gordon called her brother, Floyd Kimball (Sonny) to wish him a happy birthday. He is now in Texas to do carpenter work, as that kind of work is rather slow at present in Florida, where he did live. His wife who is still in Florida, reported some snow fell there. Weather, he said, is beautiful in Texas.

Sp5 and Mrs. Theron Clough spent a few days visiting their parents and friends last week. Theron just returned from a 13 month tour of duty in Korea. He left Nashua Monday for Virginia where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Lovejoy observed their second wedding anniversary on Monday, Feb. 14. They were given a little party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, in honor of the occasion. An anniversary

cake made and decorated by his sister, Mrs. Dorothy West, was served. Guests present besides the honored couple were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray West and family, South Rumford; Miss Ellen Lovejoy, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy.

On Monday, Feb. 14, Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and daughter-in-law, Tyrene Lovejoy, visited the Albert Downings, in West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray West and children of South Rumford were guests Friday night of her parents, the Cleveland Lovejoys.

Mrs. Elaine Johnson's little girl, Jill, came last week to spend a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Grace Morrill, but was taken

ill with flu, so had to have her mother come after her.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy attended the oyster stew supper held at Locke Mills Thursday night.

The Childs of Massachusetts were in Mason the past week end. They stayed at their chalet while here.

Dennis Kanten's mother returned to her home in Minnesota on Feb. 12, after a visit with her son and family for several days.

Visitors the past week at Mrs. Grace Morrill's were her daughter, Alta Smith and family of Stoneham. They enjoyed riding their snow machines while there. Two

boys, Jeff and Greg Russell were visitors during the week. On Monday, Mrs. Morrill's daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Bancroft and her daughter, Mrs. Judy Halle and children of Lisbon Falls were guests. Mrs. Halle and children are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Bancroft, in Albany, Maine.

Chester Wheeler who came home from Maine Medical Center, Portland, on the 14th, is reported about the same as when discharged. The doctors are expecting him to feel better when he gets rested from his recent set back.

The snow machine trails are now reported very good in this area.

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48 oz. 79¢

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Breck Shampoo

7 oz. 99¢ Reg. \$1.39

HI-DRI  
Jumbo Towels

103 Count 2 FOR 79¢

SHURFINE  
Instant  
Orange Drink

27 oz. 79¢

FLORIDA  
Oranges

80 count 6 FOR 69¢

Eggs

LARGE 79¢

MEDIUM 75¢

SHURFINE  
Overnight Diapers

12 count 99¢

Face Rump Steak

\$1.49 LB.

CORNED Beef Brisket

89¢ LB.

WHOLE FRESH  
Frying Chickens

46¢ LB.

Chicken Legs

(complete quarters) 55¢ LB.

Chicken Breasts

(complete quarters) 65¢ LB.

Small Roasting  
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## TO ESCORT ANDOVER QUEEN

Junior Cross Country Skiers (Lollipop Class) of Andover's Pine-land Ski Club, Tanager Tickle League, gather to show the costumes they will wear to escort the "Pineland Winter Carnival Queen" to her throne on Feb. 26 at the Club's Carnival Ball. The event will be held at the Andover Town Hall on that date. Rear (left to right) Deborah Bodwell, Nancy Miller, Sandra Morton, Michael Miller, Front, Christina Gammon, Marsha Hutchins, Heidi Belanger. Absent from this photo, Patti Ann Jares.

## Songo Pond

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. — Jesse Doyen is still a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball returned home from the Rumford Community Hospital on Thursday.

Mrs. Judy Hall and two children, Lisbon, have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grenier and Mr. and Mrs. David Salway, Kass and Brandon, spent Monday in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stuart, Yarmouth, spent the week end at their cottage here.

Mark Hindman accompanied John and Sherry Hindman to Augusta on Tuesday.

## North East Lovell

Pauline Smith, Corres. — Evelyn Richard of Norway visited Charles and Iva Fox Friday.

Callers Friday at Mrs. Leroy Smith's were Beverly Bassett, Bruce (son, daughter) Martin of the village.

Vesta Nelson called on her aunt, Marion Kendall, and cousin Pauline Smith Tuesday evening.

Helen Cox passed away and her service was at our church. Rev. Richard Barr was the minister.

Many of us new Helen years ago. Roy took mother and myself to Fryeburg. Esther Harriman drove us to Portland, when Marion Kendall had an eye appointment with Dr. H. Old Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox and Greg, grandson, took dinner Saturday night at their daughter and husband's, Mal and Linda Allen in Waterford. Also Larry Fox and family ate there and two Whitley boys. Larry is Linda's twin brother.

Stephen Fox went with a group snowmobiling up north. Gave over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gregson are at their cottage here.

Also Brad and Mary Crosby are at their cottage at Cushman Pond Brook.

Joan and Bob Cope are here for their vacation at their A frame home, Cushman Pond.

Pauline Smith visited with Hazel Allen and Helen Greenwood, Saturday.

Paul Fox's family from Monmouth visited his folks, the Charles Fox's Saturday and several of his brothers and families went on a cook out on their snowmobiles.

Bruce Bassett visited his grandparents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weeks

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## RECEIVES CITATION

At a Second District meeting of the American Legion at Livermore Falls on Feb. 5 Vice Commander Fred Fisher presented a citation of distinguished service to Carolyn Brooks (above) a member and past Commander of Mundt-Allen Post in Bethel. The citation was for faithfulness in the performance of duties, for loyal cooperation and for having enrolled a membership greater than its previous year's total membership.

## Sunday River

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Steven Verrill and children of Concord, Mass., are at the Verrill place for the school vacation. The children have Julie Prescott and Phil Holt with them to ski.

An air balloon visited the Sunday River area this week which interested the children very much.

Mrs. Isabel Roberts received word of the death early Feb. 20 of Mrs. Alice Eames Bearden in Pontiac, Mich. She leaves her husband and two sons. She was a native of Sunday River.

The children are having school vacation this week. So there will be more at the ski area if it does not rain.

Beldon Yates spent the week end in Andover.

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## West Paris

Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. — The T. T. C. met with Mrs. Lyn-

dell Farr last week for dinner. Those attending were Mrs. Doris Hayes, Colista Morgan, Greenwood, Mrs. Doris Slattery, Dorothy Ross, Lettie Brooks, Louvie Coffin.

West Paris Senior Citizens elected officers for the coming year: president, Elizabeth Rowe; vice president, Doris Slattery; secretary, Gladys Ellingwood; treasurer, Avis Ellingwood; reporter, Lyndell Farr. Some members of the Senior Citizens will travel to Boston Saturday on the mini bus to see the Ice Capades.

Mrs. Brenda Smith and girls, Randolph, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Farr Jr., this week.

Callers on Mrs. Lolalee Moore Sunday were Mrs. Olive Moore and Larry, Harold Moore and Leo of Oxford.

Scott Moore has a job at Oxford Hills Junior High building after school.

Gordon Dillingham, Lolalee Moore, Scot, Perian, Craig, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dillingham, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Kathleen Coffin was guest of honor at a baby shower Sunday at Goodwill Hall of the Universalist Church. Hostesses were Wendy Chase, Dorothy Cram, Judy Rowe, Laska Swan. Decorations were done in pink and blue. Mrs. Georgia Cram made the shower cake which served as the center piece on the refreshment table.

Guests present were Mrs. Judy Rowe, Diane and Brenda, Winchester, N. H.; Mrs. Dorothy Cram, and Amy, Shirley Newton, Oxford; Linda Coffin, Cherry French, ette, Doris Millet, Marie Millet, Linda Hazelton, Norway; Laila Briggs, Jean and Beverly, Donita Murch, Georgia Cram, Bonita Hazelton and Kelley Jean, South Paris, Connie Coffin, Milton, Laska Swan and Casey, Wendy Chase, Helen Olson, Natalie Coffin, Audrey Hadley, Debbie Hadley, Maxine Cram, Arlene Farr, Lena Kangas, Lyndell Farr, Sonja McKeen, Mary Lovejoy, Kimberley Poland, Marian Chase.

West Paris Fire Department held their annual meeting and supper, Tuesday evening. Philip Edmunds was appointed Fire Chief; Assistant Fire Chief, Ellis Ellingwood; second assistant Fire Chief Roger Hadley; Captain of Engine Co., Wayne Lawrence; First Lieutenant of Engine Co., James Todd; Second Lieutenant of Engine Co., Vance Bacon; Captain of Hose Co., Leon Baker; David King; Second Lieutenant of Hose Co., Everett Chase; hydrant man, Odell Heath, Stanley Heath; constables, Albert Penley, Jr., Richard McCann, Sgt. Haven Hutchinson; secretary, Arthur Dean; treasurer, Rupert Ellingwood.

The Women's Auxiliary of West Paris Fire Department met at

the home of Mrs. Sandra Poland for a supper and meeting Tuesday evening. Officers elected were: president, Sandra Abbott; secretary, Sandra Poland; treasurer, Avis Ellingwood.

Mrs. Pam Baker, Tammy and Monica, returned home Sunday after spending a week in Florida.

Forward Fellowship will meet Monday, Feb. 28, at the home of Beryl Bonney for a 6 p. m. supper and meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stone returned home over the week end after vacationing in Hawaii for 17 days.

The West Paris Town Meeting will be held at West Paris Gymnasium, Tuesday, March 1, at 7 p. m.

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## South Woodstock

Olive Davis, Corres. — The headlines this week is that

Mrs. Alta Waterhouse and Mrs. Alice Littlehale had dinner with Mrs. Olive P. Davis Thursday and spent the afternoon with her. Other noted guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, daughter Mrs. Sharon Hoover and two children, Daphne and Julie, who took dinner Saturday and spent the afternoon. The brought some belated birthday gifts to Olive, also, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Maynard Fleming visited them Sunday afternoon while calling on Olive Davis.

Mrs. Olive Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Barnett at South Paris Wednesday afternoon.

A Valentine banquet was given at the Ledgeview Memorial Home Monday night to all who were able to enjoy it. Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Fleming were chosen King and Queen at the party. Mrs. Patricia Thurlow made a Valentine cake for them. This was a real surprise to them. Mrs. Fleming works with the patients in crafts every week and has ever since she retired from teaching.

Thomas Demarest spent a month in Florida. He has returned home now with a beautiful tan.

A nine inch snow fell Sunday night on this area. Being light and fluffy, it swirled over the fields about all day. Many spent time skiing over the holiday. The soft snow made good skiing on the slopes.

If anyone has news please contact me, if I don't you. People are interested in you and love to hear about your trips. They tell me how they look for these items and let us please them. Thanks for those who do call me with their news items. We'll be seeing you.

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## CHURCHES

**Bethel United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry  
Organist,  
Miss Susan Hathaway  
Administrative Board Chairman,  
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
10:30 a. m. Nursery during Wor-  
ship Service.  
10:30 a. m. Sunday School.

Wednesday:  
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at  
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.

**West Parish**  
Congregational Church  
United Church of Christ  
Church St., Bethel  
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor  
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
Child care services available for  
parents attending church. Nursery  
class in Garland Chapel.

7 p. m. Senior High Youth Fel-  
lowship.

Wednesday:  
3:15-4:15 p. m. Church School  
for Kindergarten-Grade 6. All are  
welcome.

Thursday:  
7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal in the  
sanctuary.

**Bethel Church of the Nazarene**  
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor  
Reach out to Jesus — He is  
reaching out to you.

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in  
the downstairs chapel.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

6:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.

6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 6 p. m. Bible Study  
and Prayer Meeting at the Church.  
For transportation to any ser-  
vice, please call Mrs. Geraldine  
Mumamura, 836-3354.

**Our Lady of the Snows Church**  
Rev. Donald R. Proulx  
29 Paris St., Norway  
Tel. 743-2606

Saturday, 4:30 p. m. Holy Sacri-  
fice of the Mass.

**Chapel of Christ the King**  
Episcopal  
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel  
Savings Bank.

**Bethel Gospel Center**  
at the Odd Fellows Hall  
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Monday:  
Youth, Men's and Women's  
Groups, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:  
Bible Study and Prayer Service,  
7:00 p. m.

**Locke Mills Union Church**  
Rev. David Wuori

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist  
Church services, 9:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

**Bryant Pond Baptist Church**  
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15, Sunday School.

10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting;  
Junior Young Peoples', grades 4-  
6; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.

7:00, Evening Service.

Wednesday: Choir Practice,  
7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

**Woodstock Seventh-day**  
Adventist Church

Pastor: Elder William Menshausen

Saturday:  
Sabbath School, 10:00 a. m.

Church Service, 11:30.

Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-  
ing, 7:30.

**West Paris Universalist Church**  
John Coyle, Minister

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist

Worship Service, 10 a. m.

Sunday School, 11 a. m.

LYR, 6 p. m.

**West Bethel Union Church**  
B. R. Griffith, Pastor

Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.

Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.

Evening Worship, 7 p. m.

Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p. m.

**New Community Church**  
Sunday:

Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-  
ney Hanscom, Pastor. Robert Du-  
ran, Pianist.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Youth Group meets Sunday at  
8:30 p. m.

**OXFORD COUNTY**  
UNITED PARISH

Peter Parent, Pastor

Albany Congregational Church  
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

East Stoneham Congregational  
Sunday:

9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

9:00 a. m. Church School.

North Waterford Congregational  
Sunday:

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

## DISTRICT I SELECTS TEAM FOR ESA KOCH/TOKLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The ESA Bill Koch/Togler To-  
klo Championships will be held on  
March 5 and 6 at Williston, Vt.  
The Togler Tokle League is made  
up of 10 Districts from Maine,  
New Hampshire, Vermont, Massa-  
chusetts, New York and Pennsyl-  
vania.

The Cross-Country Competition  
will be held on Saturday with a  
cross country relay race following  
completion of preceding race. Each  
district will enter two-boy and  
two girls teams consisting of one  
member from each class.

Jumping will be held on Sunday  
with Class V competing on a 10  
meter hill and Class IV and III on  
a 22 meter hill.

Representing Maine's team are  
the following skiers: Class V, Em-  
ily Gammon, Andover; Donna Do-  
rey, Andover; Allyson Belanger,  
Andover; Kim Deans, Andover;  
(alternate, Deanne Bodemer, An-  
dover); Gary Broomhall, Rumford;  
Brian Fogg, Andover; Stacy Gam-  
mon, Andover; Jon Akers, An-  
dover; (alternate, Ricky Bodwell,  
Andover); Mike Varuolo (combin-  
ed) Farmington. Class IV: Holly  
Pidacks, Rumford; Heidi Gatz, Au-  
burn; Brenda Broomhall, Rum-  
ford; Deanne Bodemer, Andover;  
(alternate, Kelly Akers, Andover);

**Rumford Point**  
Congregational Church  
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor

Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist

Robert Parent,  
Supt. of Church School

Sunday, Feb. 27:  
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship

10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

10:45 a. m. Church School.

Monday, Feb. 28: After School  
— Brownies at the Church.

Tuesday, March 1: After school,  
Girl Scouts at the Church.

Thursday, March 3: 6:30 p. m. —  
Troop #509 of Boy Scouts at the  
Church.

**Faith Bible Church**  
Rumford Corner  
Pastor, Bob Colby

Preaching the Finished Work  
of Jesus Christ.

Sunday, 2:30 p. m.

Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.

**Calvary Congregational Church**  
Andover, Maine

M. Lester Strout, Pastor

Miss Beverly White, Pianist

Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible

center lessons; Classes for all  
ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

**First Congregational Church**  
United Church of Christ

Andover

Rev. David Wuori  
Pastor

Linda Burnham, Organist

Harriette Sauret, Music Director

Eleanor G. Tracy  
Church School Superintendent

Bertha Summerton  
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Sunday School through Grade  
9, 11 a. m.

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, 10  
a. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,  
1:30 p. m.

**Christian Science Services**  
In all Christian Science Church-

es, the Lesson-Sermon read from  
the desk is the same. The public is  
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Feb. 27: Subject—Christ  
Jesus, Golden Text: Isaiah 11:2—  
The spirit of the Lord shall rest  
upon him, the spirit of wisdom  
and understanding, the spirit of  
counsel and might, the spirit of  
knowledge and the fear of the Lord.

**First Church of Christ Scientist,**  
corner of Main and Tenth Streets,  
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-  
ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-  
day School at the same hour for  
pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting is  
at 7:45, including testimonies of  
healing.

**Christian Science Society, Nor-**  
way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.

Sunday: Services and Sunday  
School at 10:30 a. m.

2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday evening includes tes-  
timonies of healing.

You are cordially invited to at-  
tend these services. Everyone is  
welcome.

**The Reorganized Church of**  
Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

For information concerning ser-  
vices call 824-2823.

**The Church of Jesus Christ**  
of Latter-day Saints

Oxford Branch—at the Branch  
Chapel, Skeetfield Road, Oxford.

Sunday:  
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.

Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:  
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-  
zation) 9 a. m.

Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45  
p. m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

**Holy Resurrection**  
Orthodox Church

Rev. Michael Westerberg  
Petrograd Street  
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570

Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-  
pers.

Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Litur-  
gy.

Feast days announced.

## FORMER REP. SAUNDERS IS IN AUGUSTA COMMITTEE ASSISTANT

Former State Representative  
Emily Saunders is presently Com-  
mittee Assistant to the Joint Leg-  
islative Committee on Veterans  
and Retirement.

This Committee deals with all  
matters to do with veterans af-  
fairs and the state retirement  
system.

The latter's membership in-  
cludes all state employees, pub-  
lic school teachers and local and  
district employees.

The committee also hears bills  
increasing benefits and disability  
allowances, as well as bills per-  
taining to veterans or retirement  
in general.

Senator Samuel Collins, Jr., of  
Rockland is Senate Chairman and  
Representative Albert Theriault of  
Rumford is House Chairman.

Jerry Deans, Andover; Adam  
Gammon, Andover; Bryan O'Don-  
nell, Bethel; Chuck Jaros, (com-  
bined) Andover; Erik Froberg,  
Bethel; Sam Blatchford (combin-  
ed) Farmington; (alternate, Karl  
Barth, Bethel). Class III: Maryanne  
Jaros, Andover; Sue Flynn, Au-  
burn; Virginia Kelly, Bethel; Shan-  
non Edmunds, Rumford; (alter-  
nate, Julie Ranger, Farmington);  
Glenn Dunn, Andover; Eddie  
Palmer, Andover; Eric Hastings,  
Bethel; Bob Miller, Carabassett;  
(alternate, Tim Akers, Andover);  
Edgar Adams (combined), Farm-  
ington; Mike Morton (combined),  
Andover.

Relay Teams: Team A (Girls),  
Emily Gammon, Holly Pidacks,  
Maryanne Jaros; Team B (Girls),  
Donna Dorey, Brenda Broomhall,  
Sue Flynn; Team A (Boys) Gary  
Broomhall, Gerry Deans, Glenn  
Dunn; Team B (Boys), Brian Fogg,  
Adam Gammon, Eddie Palmer.

**WESTERN RAMBLINGS**  
Louise Chapman

"Where were you born?"

"Norway, Maine."

"And your previous address?"

"Box 147, Bethel, Maine."

"Oh," immediately she looks up  
from the desk, "that explains your  
strange accent."

"I beg your pardon," good old  
down east pride coming through.

"Well, I mean it didn't sound  
like you were local."

"No, I'm a life long Mainiac."

A Mainiac indeed, and you dear  
lady, with your strong accent are  
an Oregonian. It's true, we're from  
different parts of the country,  
probably brought up in different  
environments and each exposed  
to different dialects, however,  
what's a strange accent?

I pondered that question all the  
way home from the bank. Imme-  
diately after getting home I took  
out the Roget's Thesaurus and  
looked up strange—synonyms for  
strange are extraordinary, bi-  
zarre, fantastic, foreign, alien, re-  
mote, unseasoned, and unprac-  
ticed.

Now did the lady mean my ac-  
cent was extraordinary? How ab-  
out bizarre or fantastic? Was my  
accent fantastic? On the other  
hand she could have meant foreign  
or alien. I looked into the mirror  
to see if I had any signs of being  
either of those, and decided I cer-  
tainly looked American enough!

Maybe she meant my accent was  
remote, unseasoned or unprac-  
ticed. I convinced myself it was  
none of these. So, I was left in  
a complete state of confusion as  
to exactly what she had meant. I  
guess I'll just have to accept the  
fact that out here I'm a little bit  
extraordinary, bizarre, fantastic,  
foreign, alien, remote, unseasoned  
and unpracticed. A very strange  
lady!

Dry weather continues here on  
the West Coast. Governor Straub  
has asked for voluntary water ra-  
tioning to alleviate the problem  
facing the state this summer. The  
30 day forecast calls for below nor-  
mal precipitation in Oregon, Cali-  
fornia and Washington. Tree plan-  
ting operations—the task of plant-  
ing millions of little Douglas fir  
seedlings to renew cutover forest  
lands—are being hampered and in  
some cases halted. The farmers are  
hardest hit—without means of  
proper irrigation and the need-  
ed rains for their crops. By early  
summer, without normal rainfall  
throughout the spring, the forests  
will be tinder dry, causing lack  
of work for those in the forest  
and timber industry. Indeed, the  
West Coast is not worried about  
keeping warm or plowed out but  
their plight is in its own way as  
much a "disaster" as what's fac-  
ing you in the East. The winter  
of "77" continues.

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**WEST BETHEL BROWNIES** —  
Brownie Troop 597 of West Bethel  
church meets Wednesday after-  
noons at the West Bethel church.  
The troop is led by Mrs. Arthur Head

assisted by Mrs. Ronald Snyder.  
Front row, left to right: Pamme  
Morgan, Elyana Tate, Julia Mor-  
gan, Laura Brown, Andrea Gil-  
bert and Louise Snyder. Standing,  
left to right: Marietta Head, Bren-

da Kendall, Jane Head, Melissa  
Brown, Eileen Aylward, Lorraine  
Herrick and Tracy Kimball.

## Bethel and Vicinity

— Mrs. Donald Walker, Corres.

Herschel Glines is a patient at  
Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Eva Keniston is visiting  
her daughter and family, Mr. and  
Mrs. Ivan Morey in Locke Mills.

Miss Dawn Brown, daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brown, spent a  
few days this week with her great  
grandmother, Mrs. Marie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Remington  
and family of Lenox, Mass., are  
spending some time with his  
mother, Mrs. Thelma Remington.

Mrs. Ruth Brown, who has re-  
turned to Ledgewood Memorial  
Home is improved in health  
and able to receive mail and visit-  
ors.

Mrs. Elaine Packard, Mrs. Jody  
Keniston and Heath are visiting  
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith in Dover,  
N. H., for a few days. Heather  
is with her grandparents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox are  
visiting relatives in town this  
week. Larry is on vacation from  
University of Maine, Augusta,  
where he has been named to the  
Dean's list for the semester.

Jeremy Stone celebrated his  
sixth birthday Saturday with a  
party at his home. Guests were  
Brian Anderson, Stanley Moore,  
Michael Monzo, Danny Long, Sta-  
cey, Darcy, Becky Witter, Aaron  
Beane, Melody Sanford. The lovely  
birthday cake was made by Leona  
Flint. Jeremy is the son of Mrs.  
Peggy Allen.

**NEW TRAVEL AGENCY**  
**OPENS IN SOUTH PARIS**

A new business has located in  
South Paris. The Travel-Wise Tour  
Associates opened for business re-  
cently in the Ripley and Fletcher  
company building, Main Street.

This new travel agency is ready  
to serve Oxford County and all  
of Maine with an expert travel  
service. Judith Shaw of Naples,  
with ten years experience in the  
travel agency field, and most re-  
cently associated with Four Sea-  
sons Travel in Portland is Travel-  
Wise manager and Gerald T. Hig-  
gins, until recently operator of  
radio station WKTP in South Pa-  
ris, General Manager. Travel-Wise  
Tour Associates is prepared to  
serve individual and group travel  
needs promptly and expertly.  
They cordially invite the public to  
visit their new location.

**SUMMER WORK WITH**  
**YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS**

Applications are available at  
area high schools for 15-18 year  
old students who are interested  
in outdoor summer work with the  
Youth Conservation Corps. The  
YCC was established by the  
President and Congress to offer  
young men and women a gainful  
summer employment in the healthful outdoor at-  
mosphere of the National Parks,  
National Forests and State Parks.

The Youth Conservation Corps  
provides an opportunity to take  
an active part in improving the  
quality of the natural environ-  
ment. The YCC is a well-balanced  
earn-work-learn experience. Corps  
members work on conservation  
projects such as building trails,  
maintaining boundary lines, clean-  
ing campgrounds and improving  
wildlife habitat, which teach not  
only how to improve the envi-  
ronment, but why their contribu-  
tion helps.

The Evans Notch YCC Camp is a  
non-residential camp run by the  
U. S. Forest Service in Bethel.  
Pay is \$13.20 per day. Corps mem-  
bers work 40 hours per week for  
eight weeks. Participants in this  
camp will be selected from stu-  
dents who attend Gould Academy  
or Telstar Regional High School.

Students may also apply for resi-  
dential (live-in) camps at: Mr. Blue  
State Park, Camden Hills State  
Park, Baxter State Park, Craig  
Acadia National Park, Moose-  
horn National Wildlife Refuge.

Applications must be received  
no later than March 11, 1977 and  
may be obtained from Sam Ell-  
ot, Telstar Regional High School,  
or Steve Chandler, Gould Acad-  
emy.

## CALIFORNIA BIRTHDAY

Winnie the Pooh—Octavia and  
friends too was the theme of the  
birthday party—given to Octavia  
D. Poole on her fourth birthday  
at the home of her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Anthony Poole, Escondi-  
do, Calif., Feb. 12.

The Winnie the Pooh Cake was  
made and decorated by Mrs. Gail  
Haas. The home was decorated  
with Pooh items and Miss Poole  
wore a Winnie the Pooh dress.

In the 86" weather the festive  
occasion was enjoyed by friends,  
Michelle, Michael and Jo Ann  
Karnier; Jessica and Cathy Smith;  
Monica and Christina Anderson;  
Gail, Jeffery and Kendrin and Da-  
vid Haas; Mary, Heidi and Jamie  
Delong; Sandy Cordova; Johnny,  
Kevin, Yvonne and Gaye Everett;  
Pat and Michael Garvin; Jefferson,  
Janna, Jane and Marcy Gross; her  
sister, Medea, and mother.

After the party a call was made  
to grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Floyd Emerson in Andover, Maine,  
to report the fun and promise  
"We'll see you in May."

**FOLK DANCE IN BRYANT POND**

There will be a folk dance in  
Bryant Pond at the Woodstock El-  
ementary School Gym on Satur-  
day, Feb. 26, at 7:30 p. m. Lisa  
Sheilman, of the Brunswick Inter-  
national Folk Dance Club, will  
teach the group several interna-  
tional folk and contra dances. The  
dances range in ability from the  
very simple to the more complex.  
All ages are invited. You don't  
have to be an expert to be able  
to learn the dances. Come and  
have an evening of fun and music.

**MORE LABELS NEEDED!**



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Twenty-five words or less, one week, \$1.50; additional weeks, without charge, \$1.00. More than 25 words, six cents per word the first week; additional weeks, four cents per word.

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Display advertising in classified columns, \$1.75 per inch.

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Resolutions of Respect, \$3.75.

## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE—G. M. C. Step Van** Camper. Rebuilt 307 Chevy Motor, propane heater, range, sink and bunk beds. 4.6 miles from Bear River Camp, Rt. 28 on right in Newry. James Lewis Snider, General Delivery, Newry, Maine. 8-9

**LOST bright carpet colors**... restore them with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Brooks Bros. Inc., Bethel. 824-2158. 8

**FOR SALE—1973 Boa Ski.** Low mileage—excellent condition. Call after 5 and week ends. 836-3681. 8-9p

**FOR SALE: 1975 Ford Pick-up** \$3,450. Clean, no rust, 4 W. D. Hi & Lo Range Automatic self-locking hubs, Power Steering, Auto transmission, New Tires, A. M. Radio, 360 V-8 engine, step & toe rear bumper. Never plowed. May be seen days only. ANDOVER WOOD PRODUCTS, INC., Andover, Maine. 61f

Ensanata guitar, \$100; also console AM-FM stereo, \$100. Call 836-2654. 8-9

**FOR SALE—1971 Pontiac Catalina.** Call days 824-2948; after 8 p.m. 836-2235. 7f

**FOR SALE—Franklin fireplace,** used 18 months, \$200. ALFRED MERRILL, 836-3582. 6-8

**FOR SALE—1973 4 dr. Hornet** Sportabout Wagon, 36,000 miles, one owner, air conditioned, heater, radio, tinted glass, wood grain panel, carrier rack, \$2,000. MATT KORHONEN, 743-8806. 6f

**FOR SALE—Ski Doo Scandic,** 1971, 18 in. track, 20 h.p., a real workhorse for trail grooming and a stable riding machine. STEVE WRIGHT, 824-2410. 5-8

**ATTENTION MOBILE HOME OWNERS:** Need extra room? All new for Maine. Factory designed and built Add-A-Rooms for YOUR mobile home. Installed by our trained crews winter or summer. Guaranteed against leaks and snow damage. 100% financing. For free 1977 catalog and prices, call toll free 1-800-452-1940 8:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. or write Maine-Wide Enterprises, P. O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine 04330. 5-8

Refrigerators, gas stoves; water heaters, gas and electric; electric stoves. Call 824-2801. 31f

**1976 Gran Torino Wagon, auto,** trans., power S&B, low mileage; good selection of new 4x4 Ford pickup trucks, new and used cars and trucks, all prices reduced. Contact Ralph Perry, 835-2700. Holden Bros., Fryeburg, 835-2700. 6-24p 1f

**BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY.** Home and office furniture, snow machine seats, heavy equipment and auto seats reupholstered. Free estimates, quality workmanship. Very reasonable prices. 824-2336. 11f

**TRAILER OWNERS:** End leaks and interior damages forever. Maine's largest supplier of mobile home additions announces the opening of the ALL NEW A-A ROOF Division. Standard house roof construction. Installed by our skilled crews winter and summer. Written Guarantee. 100% financing. For 1977 catalog and prices call toll free 1-800-452-1940 8:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. or write Maine-Wide Enterprises, P. O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine 04330. 5-8

**PHOTO COPIES WHILE YOU WAIT—ROBERT CRANE ASSOCIATES,** Real Estate Brokers, Three Broad Street, Bethel, Maine. 181f

**KNAPP AEROTRED SHOES—Men's and Ladies'. Call CHARLIE FARRAR, 824-2030. 17f**

**FOR RENT** LEGION HALL, Vernon Street, available for rental for receptions, wedding parties, anniversaries, etc. Call 824-2049. 61c

**FARM HOUSE FOR RENT—Gilead,** \$100 per month. Call DR. HARRELL, 802-482-3177. 51c

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**5 room apartment, unfurnished,** heated. Tel. 824-2910 after 5 p.m. 51f

**Sudbury Village, apartments for** senior citizens, 1-2 bedrooms. For information call Joseph Walker at 824-3326 evenings or CRANE ASSOCIATES at 824-2114. 42f

## ARTEX

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## TV - RADIO - HIFI SERVICE

Call "CLAYTON SWEATT"  
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Authorized RCA Dealer for  
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NEED ANTENNA WORK?

Have Ladder—Will Climb

## WANTED

Antiques, glass, china, clocks, furniture, early tools, lamps. One item or entire estate. Appraisal service. Rumford Center Antiques, Albert H. Brown. Tel. 864-2073. 3-28p-1f

**WANTED—House cleaning jobs.** Tel. 824-2244. 8p

**WANTED—Private elderly patients** to care for in my home, \$300 per month, nurse in charge. Call 835-3100. 61f

## REAL ESTATE

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This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper and available on an equal opportunity basis.

**3 bedroom ranch, full collar,** country living with a nice view, good roads with little traffic. Call CARL CATHART after 6 p.m. and week ends, 836-2205. 61f

**Skiers/Hunters cottage for sale,** \$14,500. Four miles from Sunday River Skiway. Suitable for couple. All conveniences. Call 824-2360. 9p

**WANTED IN THE NEWRY-GRAFTON AREA, 1-5 ACRES** WITHOUT BUILDINGS. PRIVACY NECESSARY. WILL PAY FROM \$2,000 - \$5,000.

Land in Newry and Grafton is wanted—also needed all types of real estate.

Bryant Pond, 11 room house in town, much has been remodelled, copper plumbing, two bathrooms, modern kitchen with plenty of cupboards, hardwood and softwood floors, new siding and insulation, oil furnace, range and refrigerator, 1 1/2 acres, \$27,000.

Greenwood Road, Twitchell Pond. Area, large A frame with lot and destroyed, furnished, large main floor area, access rights to Twitchell Pond, \$11,000.

**MATTI H. KORHONEN** Real Estate Broker  
107 MAIN STREET  
SOUTH PARIS, MAINE  
TEL. 743-8806

**MISCELLANEOUS** ServiceMaster, the name for professional cleaning around the world. Carpets, furniture, walls, floors or your entire house. Call 743-2168 Steve Bell ServiceMaster. 61f

**H. & R. BLOCK—The Income** Tax People are ready to assist you with the preparation of your income tax. Office hours—9 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays; Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sundays and other hours by appointment. H. & R. BLOCK, 48 Main St., South Paris, Tel. 743-6923. 3-15

**Income Tax Preparation, personal and business;** general bookkeeping service. Contact PAT DOOLEY, 824-2400 evenings and week ends. 31f

**THE VILLAGE STRIPPER—**Almost anything wooden or metal stripped and/or refinished. KEN BEDDER, Tyler St., Bethel. 824-2104. 45f

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**PERSONAL—Now available—a** local community resource for Help, Information and Referral Services. Free & Confidential. Identify your need. For prompt and personalized reply, enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope. Write c/o Social Services, P. O. Box 603, Bethel. 35f

**GLASS REPLACEMENT—Auto** Glass—Comb. Windows—Sales and Repairs. TWIN TOWN GLASS, 45 Main St., Norway, Maine. Tel. 743-6478. 13f

**All types of upholstery done,** antique and modern. Free pickup and delivery. Large selection of fabrics. Contact GLEN'S UPHOLSTERY, 21 Market St., South Paris, Maine. Tel. 743-2631. 25f

**LEWIS M. SARGENT, Painting—**Interior and Exterior, Paper Hanging. Phone 824-2335. Bethel. 300f

## ROLAND GLINES

Carpenter &  
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Ernest Angevine

BETHEL, ME. 824-2286

## Andover

—Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.—

Town meeting day luncheon on March 5 will be a benefit for the William MacDougal family. The menu will be baked beans and assorted casseroles, salads, rolls, cake and coffee. Mrs. MacDougal has been in the Maine Medical Center in Portland two months.

In the wee hours of Feb. 15 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stinson received a surprise telephone call from Ralph Jr. (Perry) and his wife, Joan, announcing the arrival of an eight pound two ounce daughter.

She joins a big brother, four-year-old Keri. Perry is stationed in Berlin Germany. He's a radio announcer in AFN Berlin. He also does news broadcasts and other "bits" on television. He recently signed up for nine months more duty in Berlin in the Army. Mrs. William Simmons, Sr., is the young miss's great-grandmother and her 33rd great-grandchild.

Saturday, Feb. 12, the Galvary Congregational Sunday School teachers had a party for their classes. They met at the Church. Mrs. Jean White with Mrs. Marjorie Stinson helped entertain with games and refreshments.

Miss Betty Farrington and Mrs. Barbara Meisner entertained the nursery and sub-primary classes with Mrs. Edna Smith's help.

Mrs. Mary Bailey and Miss Paula White entertained their class with a Valentine's Party and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Humphrey of South Portland spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey.

Mrs. Pearl Peaslee received word of the birth of her 21st grandchild, a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Peaslee on Feb. 17, at the Maine Medical Center in Portland at 3:44 a.m. Joel Thomas weighed in at eight pounds, 11 ounces. This is the Gregg Peaslee's first child.

Mrs. Louise Dunn spent a few days last week visiting her son and daughter-in-law, and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunn of Strong.

Mrs. Francis Nevel spent a few days in Millinocket on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emerson have been spending a week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Merryman in Ann Arbor, Mich., and his sister and brother-in-law and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnett and B. J., also of Ann Arbor.

The children of school age from the First Congregational Church School met at the Andover skating rink for a skating party, after which they gathered at the C. E. Building to make valentines and were served refreshments.

On Feb. 27, which is Family Sunday the 7th, 8th and 9th grades of the Church School will conduct the worship service at 11 a.m. Those taking part will be: Invocation and Prayer, Steve Wuori; Responsive Reading, Mindy

Wuori; and a special offering for the children of the Church.

The Andover Service Circle had donated \$100 to purchase books. It was suggested that a book selection committee work with the librarian.

Library hours are now Tuesdays 1:30 and 4:30 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday hours are 1:30 to 4:30. The annual meeting will be held on May 2 and this will be open to the public.

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Karen L. Brown

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Democrat Michael Gibbs was conditionally seated at the start of the session. He had apparently won the seat when ballots were originally counted in the close race, but a recount showed that Cunningham was the true winner. On Wednesday, Feb. 16, faced with the prospect that enough Democrats were finally willing to vote to seat Cunningham, Gibbs voluntarily stepped aside. Cunningham, at his own expense, has attended every Legislative day since the start of the session and is ready to take on a full work load.

Sen. Edmund S. Muskie told the Legislature's Natural Resources Committee this week that the energy crisis may do more to clean up the nation's air than the pollution crisis has. The Energy Committee, on which I serve, toured the Merrimack Plant in Bow, N. H., on Monday. The coal-fueled electrical plant is similar to the coal plant proposed for Sears Island by Central Maine Power Company. The committee which is trying to determine the best energy mix for the State of Maine, with the least environmental side effects, cited only a few problems with the coal plant.

The Merrimack Plant needs 400 acres to produce 450 megawatts. The plant stores coal on Mountaintops, while using 100 railroad cars of coal every three days for fuel. The coal dust settles around the plant from wind blowing over open piles and loading docks. The 317 foot smoke stack at the Merrimack plant is equipped with a precipitator to remove some particles from the air. The precipitator passes an electric current between two devices in the stack and collects polluted particles. At the Merrimack plant there is not a scrubber to take care of the pollution, which the Sears Island plant would have.

The cost per kilowatt hour is cheaper for nuclear power use than for coal-fired electricity. Another concern is the "greenhouse effect" if too many coal plants are built. The greenhouse effect results when gases released in the burning of coal form a layer in the atmosphere which lets sunlight through, but traps heat below.

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Albany HUNT'S CORNER  
AND VICINITY  
Kathy Bennett, Corres.

A month from now we will be welcoming the first day of spring. Soon the memory of this cold winter will be behind us.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister called on Vivian McAllister one day last week. Saturday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card in Norway. Sunday, Albert and Elma called on Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister.

Callers at Arthur Wardwells' last week were Peter Parent, and Fred Scribner.

Norm Crockett had dinner with Hugh and Edith Stearns one day last week. On Sunday, Hugh and Edith went to Lewiston to visit and have dinner with their daughter, Janice, and family.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Barton and Frank Barton Sr. visited Mrs. Myrna Barton who remains a patient at the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland.

Sunday the Barton family went to Brownfield to join the rest of the Barton clan in celebrating Miss Darlene Barton's 9th birthday.

Callers last week here at K-D's were Margaret Barton, Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maillet and Joyce Obuchowski.

Tuesday night we called on Mr. and Mrs. Gus McAllister in North Waterford. Friday night we visited my family in Bryant Pond. We also called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting in Bethel one day last week. The boys are enjoying a 10 day vacation from school. Sunday, Dave and I snowshoed for about a mile. It was so quiet and beautiful in the woods. That is it for this week from K-D's Acres. Be happy and above all stay well.

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West Greenwood  
Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Marcus and Jenny Deegan, Cape Elizabeth, spent Friday afternoon through Sunday last week with their grandparents, Joe and Leah Deegan.

Joe and Leah visited Kathy Deegan in Palermo, Sunday.

Clayton Bartlett, Kennebunk, visited Maude Harrington, Sunday.

Bradley Harrington, David Daye and Scott Gunther rode their snowmobiles up to Maude's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Record and family celebrated Tara's fourth birthday at Maynard Record's in North Fryeburg, Sunday.

Marc and Leslie Moore went to Shelburne, N. H., Sunday, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore and his cousins Duane and Robyn Moore at the home of Russ and Judy Andrews.

Callers at Alden and Irene Wilson's have been Gloria Wilson on Saturday, and Stan Wilson and children, Bryant Pond, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire Gagnon, Lewiston, came over to dinner with Zip and Muriel Gilbert, Sunday.

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B.E.A.R.S., Inc.  
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Item I: Last Sunday the BEARS pot luck supper was enjoyed by 20 members—food was plenty and yummy! President Florence Merrill read the poem she wrote with a verse dedicated to each BEARS attendant. Thanks to her for so much energy she put out for us. Lyn Myers played her guitar and everyone enjoyed singing along. We all agreed we must do this more often.

Item II: Our business meeting after was brief and informative. For one of the upcoming training-session meetings Shirley Russell will be sharing her knowledge as a respiratory technician.

Item III: The BEARS Board of Directors voted to send \$10 to the Cerebral Palsy Association in response to the telephone.

Item IV: In the planning stages: BEARS are working with Upton to establish a First Aid Station up there.

Item V: The EMT course is progressing well. We've been handed out three books and a lot of loose sheets. We ought to be a well of information when we get through!

Item VI: Several volunteers have taken leaves of absence. BEARS are in need of attendants

for daytime ambulance duty. If you have any questions as to how you can help, please call Arlene Greenleaf at 824-2744. Your community needs you!

Item VII: Safety Tip of the Week: Drivers continue to need reminders to pull over to the right and STOP whenever an emergency vehicle is in sight. Check your rear view mirror often.

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Bryant Pond  
Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres.

Sunday evening at 7 p. m. the film "Mr. Chairman I Also Move" will be shown at the Baptist Church. All are invited to attend.

Donna and Alan Ring, Freeport, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring, for this week.

The Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet Thursday, March 3 at the Town Hall. The meeting will

start at 11 a. m. with the Extension serving dinner at noon. Slides of Maine will be shown in the afternoon.

Some of the young people's group and several others attended the Jack Wyrzben and quartet program at the Mexico Baptist Church last Friday evening. It was very good. On March 11 they will be in Portland City Hall for a new musical "His Truth Goes Marching On."

There were 13 members present at the Extension Meeting at Margaret Scotto's last Wednesday. The meeting was on the Metric System.

Mrs. Madelyn Rice, Camden, is visiting her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister.

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start at 11 a. m. with the Extension serving dinner at noon. Slides of Maine will be shown in the afternoon.

Some of the young people's group and several others attended the Jack Wyrzben and quartet program at the Mexico Baptist Church last Friday evening. It was very good. On March 11 they will be in Portland City Hall for a new musical "His Truth Goes Marching On."

There were 13 members present at the Extension Meeting at Margaret Scotto's last Wednesday. The meeting was on the Metric System.

Mrs. Madelyn Rice, Camden, is visiting her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister.

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## ALDEN CHASE

Alden (Ted) Chase, a former resident of Bryant Pond, died Friday, Feb. 18, 1977, at the Windsor Nursing Home, Windsor, Conn., where he had been cared for the past eight years.

He was born at Woodstock, Aug. 26, 1889, the son of A. Mont and Anna Faulkner Chase. He graduated from Hebron Academy and from University of Maine, class of 1912. While at the university, he was elected president of his class, president of the Glee Club and editor in chief of the yearbook, "The Prism." He was a French instructor at University of Maine for one year then went abroad where he studied vocal music in Naples. He was married to the former Marguerite Elms of Guilford, March 8, 1917. Mrs. Chase died Nov. 15, 1968.

Mr. Chase was a storekeeper and printer in Bryant Pond for many years, a business started by his father. He closed his store and print shop in the mid 60's. He had been moderator at town meeting there for over 25 years, a member of the school committee, tax collector for 11 years, library trustee and a former Oxford County Deputy Sheriff. He was active in K. of P. Lodge, having been chancellor of Fraternal Lodge in Bryant Pond and grand chancellor of the State of Maine. He later was a national delegate.

Surviving are three sons, Faulkner of Windsor, Conn., Gordon of Warwick, R. I. and Dr. Allen of Norway; seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church, with spring interment at Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond.

## HUMPHREY - JODREY

On Feb. 12 in a quiet double ring ceremony, at the Preble Street Chapel of Portland, the former Marguerite Jane Jodrey of Andover became the bride of Francis W. Humphrey of South Portland and Thule, Greenland.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey, of Andover, wore an ivory colored gown of heavy cotton and polyester material and carried a bouquet of roses and carnations. The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Donna Remington, who wore a gold colored gown of the same material. Mr. Humphrey, only son of Mrs. Hortense Humphrey, and the late Francis Humphrey, Sr., was attended by Patrick Vellieux of Kittery.

A reception followed the ceremony, held in the Church Vestry, attended by friends and relatives. The newlyweds left for New York and New Jersey after the reception.

Mrs. Humphrey works as a computer operator in Portland.

Mr. Humphrey works at Thule, Greenland, with Aero Space Communications Service. He returns to Greenland Feb. 24 after a two week vacation.



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## CUB SCOUT BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET HELD FEB. 15

On Tuesday, Feb. 15, over 100 Cubs and their families assembled in the Telstar Cafeteria for their annual Blue and Gold pot luck supper.

Each Den was responsible for its own table decorations and food which ranged from rockets, special place cards and mobiles to baked beans, casseroles, and special Webelos cakes. The food was as filling as it was delicious and no one went away hungry. Pack 566 supplied rolls, butter, milk, and coffee to supplement the ample supplies of goodies brought by each Mom.

A total of 30 out of 33 Cubs were present and each one received his 1977 I. D. card as did the leaders who were introduced. Committee Chairman Steve Wright then presented Cubmaster Al Barth with the 1977 charter from the Pine Tree Council of Maine.

In a brief ceremony, two banners were attached to the Pack Flag signifying a unit that was 100% Boys Life and one that earned the President's National Award for 1976. Webelos Cubs that participated were Andy Wheeler, Scott Kennagh and Donald Barker.

The following awards were given out to the parents of each of the following Cubs: Scott Brown, Bear; Mike Jodrey, Wolf; Bruce Barth, Bear and Gold Arrow; Brandon Salway, Bear and Gold Arrow; Todd Kellogg, Silver Arrow; Jim Feeney, Todd Kellogg and Brandon Salway, One Year Service Stars; Donald Barker, Aquanaut; Outdoorsman and Scholar; Scott Kennagh, Outdoorsman and Andy Wheeler, Athlete.

At the conclusion of the presentations the group joined hands in singing Auld Lang Syne.

The next Pack 566 activity is the ski tour Saturday, March 5, at the Sunday River Ski Touring Center. The time is 11:30 a. m. and each Cub and family should bring their own food. There will be a fire and hot chocolate will be provided by the Pack Committee. Let's go Mom and Dad slap on the boards and go ski touring the 5th. Cubs and parents are also reminded that the Scout Show will be held in Mexico Saturday, Feb. 26. Call Al Barth 824-2931 for details and tickets.

## UNITED METHODIST WOMEN TO MEET MARCH 3

The next meeting of the United Methodist Women is scheduled for Thursday, March 3, at the home of Mrs. Bertha Thurston, beginning at 1:30 in the afternoon. The program will be provided by Lyn Myers with her guitar.

## BORN

In Berlin, N. H., Feb. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Whiting of Gilead, a son, Benjamin Michael.

In Houston, Tex., Feb. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hatch (Carol Flint of Bethel) a son, Matthew Henry.

## MARRIED

In Portland, Feb. 12, Francis W. Humphrey of South Portland and Thule, Greenland, and Miss Marguerite Jane Jodrey, formerly of Andover.

## DIED

In Millinocket, Feb. 17, Mrs. Lena E. Chapman, formerly of Bethel, aged 79 years.

In Windsor, Conn., Feb. 18, Alden (Ted) Chase, formerly of Bryant Pond, aged 88 years.

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## TELSTAR CLASS "A" CHAMPS

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Edward Little, 378.00; Fryeburg, 370.80; Gould, 356.95; Mt. Blue, 355.01; Kents Hill, 332.03; and Rumford, 286.44.

In the run for the skimeister Mark Niedner of Livermore was the winner 389.78 followed by Peter Bodwell of Telstar 361.42.

Telstar, along with Livermore, and Edward Little, now moves on to Lyndon, Vt., for the New England Interscholastic Ski Championships, Feb. 25 and 26.

Toy Twenty:  
Slalom: 1. B. Lunt (F) 56.5; 2. C. Craig (KEH) 57.6; 3. D. Brochu (F), D. Morang (C), B. Wall (G) 58.3; 6. M. Goodwin (F) R. Luce (G) M. Niedner (LF) 58.6; 9. E. Cobb (EL) 58.8; 10. O. D. Hayes (EL) 59.2; 11. Malo (EL), P. D. Ash (GA), M. Libby (KH), M. Rosenberg (T) 59.3; 15. J. Fuller (LF), D. Morang (G) 52.6; 18. E. Emery (EL) 52.7; 19. R. Lunt (F) 52.9; 20. M. Hastings (F) 53.2.

Jumping: 1. D. Webster (T) 207.0; 2. M. Brooks (T) 196.6; 3. B. Malo (EL) 194.1; 4. Niedner (LF) 191.6; 5. G. Poirier (R) 189.2; 8. R. Palmer (T), C. Smith (F), 184.7; 9. Dumas (LF) 182.7; 9. Orr (EL) 180.7; 10. A. Smith (F) 178.2; 11. P. Bodwell (T) 177.2; 12. E. Cobb (EL) 174.8; 13. M. Dunn (T) 174.2; 14. D. Fuller (LF) 172.8; 15. Mills (LF) 171.8; 16. K. Simard (EL) 171.7; 17. B. Daywood (GA) 165.9; 19. S. Dennis (T) 161.4; 20. Hill (FA) 160.4.

Cross Country: 1. T. Tenney (LF) 30.06; 2. R. Groleau (LF) 30.19; 3. M. Dunn (T) 30.33; 4. G. Kelly (G) 30.39; 5. S. Gould (MB) 30.44; 6. D. Blodden (LF) 31.22; 7. J. Gould (MB) 31.27; 8. M. Mills (LF) 31.28; 9. J. Chabot (EL) 31.33; 10. T. Hathaway (R) 31.34; 11. R. Knowlton (LF) 31.35; 12. D. Briggs (EL) 32.36; 13. B. Lunt (FA) 32.46; 14. P. Bodwell (T) 32.52; 15. S. Morrill (T) 33.01; 16. Tibbet (EL) 33.02; 17. G. Poirier (R) 33.08; 18. S. Adams (G) 33.13; 19. T. Downs (T) 33.23; 20. T. Sayward (MB) 33.27.

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## MARCH MEETING OF WMIMC AT RUMFORD, FEB. 28

The March meeting of the Western Maine Industrial Management Club will meet at 6:30 p. m. on Monday, Feb. 28, 1977 at the American Legion Hall in Rumford. The program will include as guest speaker, Jenness Robbins, Vice President of Robbins Lumber Company, Searsmont. Mr. Robbins' topic will be "Problems in converting from oil to wood residue to generate steam and electricity." This subject should be of general interest to all, considering the continuing rise in oil prices and the availability of wood residue and should be of specific interest to anyone considering or involved with conversion within their company.

In order to make the meetings more convenient for members this year, the location has been alternated between Bethel, South Paris and Rumford. This meeting marks the second complete circuit of the three towns. This practice has proven, to be very popular with the membership and has helped to maintain excellent participation throughout the year. A business meeting will follow the guest speaker and will include numerous reports. Also included will be a discussion on the controversial state property tax.

## CHURCH ELECTS FIRST READER

At their regular annual meeting in January, First Church of Christ Scientist in Berlin, N. H., elected Stuart Hull of Gorham, N. H., to serve as First Reader. Other church officers were elected, or appointed, also, at this meeting.

As First Reader, Mr. Hull will conduct the services and read aloud from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy. The King James version of the Bible is always used in Christian Science services.

Sunday services and Sunday School are held at 11 o'clock and Wednesday evening meetings are at 7:45. Everyone who is interested in the subject is invited to attend. Next Sunday Lesson-Subject is Christ Jesus. All who come to the services are welcome.

## MRS. LENA E. CHAPMAN

Lena E. Chapman, formerly of Bethel, widow of Philip S. Chapman Sr., died in a Millinocket hospital, Feb. 17, 1977.

She was born in South Paris, May 2, 1897, the daughter of John E. and Cora (Record) Everett. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of East Millinocket, Past Matron of Purity Chapter No. 102 O. E. S. of Bethel, Pythian Sisters of Hanover, Senior Citizens Club of East Millinocket, Daughters of the American Revolution.

She is survived by one son, Philip S. Chapman Jr., of Peabody, Mass.; two daughters, Mrs. Virginia C. Nelson of East Millinocket; Miss Marion E. Chapman of Arlington, Va.; four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Rogers and Wyse funeral home of East Millinocket on Feb. 19, with Rev. Jack C. Brown officiating. Spring burial will be in Riverside Cemetery, Bethel.

## REBEKAH'S TO MEET FEB. 28

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will be observing Past Noble Grand and Obligation Night at their meeting on Monday, Feb. 28, 8 p. m. Also included will be rehearsal for the district meeting so all members are urged to attend.

## "MEALS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS" MENU FOR MARCH 1

The menu for "Meals for Senior Citizens" for Tuesday March 1, at the Bethel United Methodist Church is as follows: baked white fish/lemon wedge, whipped potato, whole kernel corn, French bread, gingerbread or diet fruit, milk.

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